CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

STATE ROUTE 65 PAVEMENT REHAB SCHEDULED FOR NEXT WEEK IN TULARE COUNTY

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces scheduled one way traffic control of northbound and southbound State Route 65 between Avenue 112 and Avenue 120 in Tulare County. These closures will be necessary to allow construction crews to perform grinding and paving operations within this area of State Route 65.

The following lane closures will be in effect next week (weather permitting):

Northbound and Southbound State Route 65 will be reduced to one way traffic control between Avenue 112 and Avenue 120 in Tulare County, beginning Monday, June 11th through Friday, June 15th, 2012 between the hours of 6:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m. each day.

Construction Crews will be conducting one way traffic control during this time with the use of flagging personnel through the work zone. Commuters are reminded to obey flagging personnel and pay close attention to road construction vehicles and personnel.

During paving operations, delays can last for up to 15 minutes. Commuters are encouraged to avoid this area during project work hours and use alternate routes if possible.

Caltrans and CHP want to remind the public about the "Move Over" law signed by the governor in January of 2010, that requires motorists to slow down and, if safe, move over to a lane not immediately adjacent to a stationary CHP, Emergency or Caltrans vehicle displaying flashing warning lights. To date, 45 other states have enacted similar laws requiring motorists to move over or slow down. Violation of this law is punishable by a fine and citation. So remember...

Move Over, It's the Law!!

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